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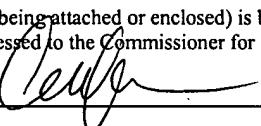

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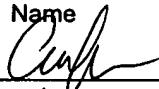
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 16, 2007, in connection with the above-identified application, this response to which is timely filed, please consider and enter the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.